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Meredith Jury
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
Education: Colorado 1969 BA;
Wisconsin 1971 MA, 1972 MS; UCLA 1976 JD
Began Service: November 24, 1997
Term Expires: November 2011



Legal Practice: Associate, Best Best & Krieger LLP (1976-1997)

Current Memberships: Federal Bar Association; Riverside County Bar Association; The State Bar of California

Staff

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Ellen Carroll
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: February 1947
Education: Mundelein 1970 BA;
U San Francisco 1980 JD
Began Service: February 1998
Term Expires: February 2012



Clerkships: Law Clerk, Bankruptcy Judge Lloyd King, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of California (1981)

Legal Practice: Partner, Bronson, Bronson & McKinnon (1988-1993); Of Counsel, Murphy, Weir and Butler (1993-1998)

Current Memberships: National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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Sheri Bluebond
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1961
Education: UCLA 1982 BA, 1985 JD
Began Service: February 1, 2001
Term Expires: January 2015



Legal Practice: Associate, Gendel, Raskoff, Shapiro & Quittner (1983-1991); Shareholder, Murphy, Weir & Butler (1991-1995); Partner, Irell & Manella LLP (1995-2001)

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; American Bar Association; Financial Lawyers Conference of Southern California; Los Angeles Bankruptcy Forum; Los Angeles County Bar Association

Staff

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Peter H. Carroll
Bankruptcy Judge

Education: UC Berkeley 1974 AB;
St Mary's U 1978 JD
Began Service: August 1, 2002
Term Expires: July 31, 2016



Government: Assistant U.S. Trustee, Fresno (CA) Field Office, United States Department of Justice, William J. Clinton Administration (1994-2002)

Legal Practice: Shareholder, Brite & Drought (1978-1993)

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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Maureen A. Tighe
Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Rutgers 1979 BA, 1984 JD
Began Service: November 2003
Term Expires: November 2017



Clerkships: Law Clerk, District Judge Harold Ackerman, United States District Court for the District of New Jersey (1984-1986)

Government: U.S. Trustee, Region 16, Department of Justice; Assistant U.S. Attorney, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Ronald Reagan Administration (1988-1998)

Legal Practice: Sullivan & Cromwell (1986-1988)

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; Los Angeles Bankruptcy Forum; Los Angeles County Bar Association

Staff

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Theodor C. Albert
Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Stanford 1975 BA; UCLA 1978 JD
Began Service: June 2005
Term Expires: June 2019

Legal Practice: Buchalter, Nemer, Fields & Younger (1983-1995); Co-Founder, Albert, Weiland & Golden (1995)

Current Memberships: Orange County Bankruptcy Forum; Orange County Bar Association (CA); The State Bar of California

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Richard M. Neiter
Bankruptcy Judge

Education: UCLA 1959 BS; USC 1962 JD
Began Service: February 2006
Term Expires: February 2020

Corporate: Member, Sutman, Treister & Glatt Professional Corporation (1962-2006)

Judicial: Central Mediator of Disputes, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Central District of California (1995-2006)

Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Richard M. Neiter *continued*

Current Memberships: Section of Business Law, American Bar Association; Los Angeles County Bar Association; The State Bar of California

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Victoria S. Kaufman
Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Bryn Mawr 1986 BA; Harvard 1989 JD
Began Service: May 2006
Term Expires: May 2020

Clerkships: Law Clerk, Bankruptcy Judge Marilyn Shea-Stonum, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Ohio

Legal Practice: Attorney, Private Practice; Of Counsel, Paul, Hastings, Janofsky & Walker LLP

Staff

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Began Service: May 2006
Term Expires: August 30, 2007
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